

ISSUES IN THE OFFICE ACTION

The Office Action asserts that the Figures and the Description of Figures in the Specification are inconsistent with each other. Specifically, the Office Action mailed on 19 October 2004 states:

- 1) "The drawings filed 05-03-2004 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification."
- 2) "Figure 3 is contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification."